

COMMONLY USED ACRONYMS/ABBREVIATIONS:

AAR	After Action Report
ACC	Acute Care Center
Act 368	Public Health Code
Act 390	Michigan Emergency Management Act
AED	Automated External Defibrillator
AHRQ	Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality
APHL	Agency for Public Health Laboratories
APIC	Association for Professionals in Infection Control & Epidemiology
ARC	American Red Cross
ASTHO	Association of State & Territorial Health Officials
ATSDR	Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry
BATF	Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms
BDS	Biohazard Detection System
BOE	Bureau of Epidemiology (MDCH)
BOL	Bureau of Laboratories (MDCH)
BT	Bioterrorism
BTRS	Bioterrorism Readiness Suite
CAP	Corrective Action Plan
CB	Critical Benchmark
CBIRF	Chemical and Biological Incident Response Force
CBO	Community Nased Organization
CBRNE	Chemical, Biological, Radiological, Nuclear or Explosive
CDC	Centers for Disease Control
Chempack	Nerve agent antidote chemical cache
CIA	Central Intelligence Agency
CIRG	Critical Incident Response Group
CISM	Critical Incident Stress Management
CMH	Community Mental Health
COCO	Complaint Coder
CRI	Cities Readiness Initiative
CST	Civil Support Team
CSTE	Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists
CT	Chemical Terrorism
DEQ	Department of Environmental Quality
DEST	Domestic Emergency Support Team
DFO	Disaster Field Office
DHHS	Department of Health & Human Services
DHS	Department of Homeland Security
DIT	Department of Information Technology
DMAT	Disaster Medical Assistance Team
DMORT	Disaster Mortuary Operations Response Team
DOD	Department of Defense
DOE	Department of Energy
DOJ	Department of Justice
DOT	Department of Transportation
DPAC	Disaster Preparedness Advisory Council
DSLRL	Division of State and Local Readiness
EAG	Emergency Action Guidelines
EAS	Emergency Alert System

ED	Emergency Department
ED Syndromic Surveillance	Emergency Department Syndromic Surveillance
EFR	Emergency First Responder
EMA	Emergency Medical Agency
EMAC	Emergency Management Assistance Compact
EMC	Emergency Management Coordinator
EMD	Emergency Management Divisions
EMS	Emergency Medical Services
EMSCC	Emergency Medical Services Coordination Committee
EMT	Emergency Medical Technician
EOC	Emergency Operations Center
EOP	Emergency Operations Plan
EPA	Environmental Protection Agency
EPC	Emergency Preparedness Coordinator
ERT	Emergency Response Team
ESF	Emergency Support Functions
FBI	Federal Bureau of Investigations
FCO	Federal Coordinating Officer
FEMA	Federal Emergency Management Agency
FOIA	Freedom of Information Act
FRP	Federal Response Plan
FS	Fire Services
FSR	Financial Status Report
FY	Fiscal Year
HAN	Health Alert Network
HC	Health Care
HCP	Health Care Personnel
HCRT	Health Care Response Teams
HCW	Health Care Worker
HEICS	Hospital Emergency Incident Command System
HHS	Health and Human Services
HIPPA	Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act
HL ₇	Health Level Seven
HO	Health Officer
HRSA	Health Resources and Services Administration
IC	Incident Commander
ICDDC	Interstate Civil Defense and Disaster Compact
ICP	Incident Command Post – or - Infection Control Practitioner
ICS	Incident Command System
IHS	Indian Health Services
INAR	Incident Needs Assessment Report
IT	Information Technology - or - International Terrorism
JAMA	Journal of American Medical Association
JCAHO	Joint Commission on Accreditation of Healthcare Organizations
JIC/JPIC	Joint Information Center/Joint Public Information Center
JOC	Joint Operation Center
JTTF	Joint Terrorism Task Force
JTWG	Joint Terrorism Work Group
LEPC	Local Emergency Planning Committee
LFA	Lead Federal Agency
LHD	Local Health Department

LMCA	Local Medical Control Authority
LPH	Local Public Health
LPHS	Local Public Health System
LRN	Laboratory Response Network
MALPH	Michigan Association of Local Public Health
MAPPP	Michigan Association of Primary Prevention Physicians
MCA	Medical Control Authorities
MCC	Medical Command, Coordination and Communication Center
MCI	Mass Casualty Incident
MDCH	Michigan Dept. of Community Health
MDSS	Michigan Disease Surveillance System
ME	Medical Examiner
MEDDRUN	Michigan Emergency Drug Delivery Resource Utilization Network
MEMAC	Michigan Emergency Management Assistance Compact
MEMP	Michigan Emergency Management Plan
MEMS	Modular Emergency Medical System
MEPPP	Michigan Emergency Preparedness Pharmaceutical Plan
MERIT	Michigan Epidemiological Response Investigation Team
MHA	Michigan Hospital Association
MHC	Munson Health Care
MICERC	Michigan Crisis and Emergency Risk Communication
MITRAIN	Michigan Training-finder Real-time Affiliate Integrated Network
MMC	Munson Medical Center
MMRS	Metropolitan Medical Response System
MMWR	Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report
MOU	Memorandum of Understanding
MPA	Michigan Pharmacists Association
MPCB	Multi-Purpose Collaborative Body
MPHI	Michigan Public Health Institute
MSA	Metropolitan Service Area
MSP	Michigan State Police
MSU	Michigan State University
MVA	Motor Vehicle Accident
NACCHO	National Association of City and County Health Officials
NCCLS	National Committee of Clinical Laboratory Standards
NDMS	National Disaster Medical System
NEHC	Neighborhood Emergency Help Center
NFPA	National Fire Protection Association
NIMS	National Incident Management System
NIOSH	National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
NLTN	National Laboratory Training Network
NPHIC	National Public Health Information Coalition
NPS	National Pharmaceutical Stockpile
NRMCA	Northwest Regional Medical Control Authority
OASPH	Ofc. of the Assistant Secretary for Public Health Emergency Preparedness
ODP	Office of Disaster Preparedness
OEP	Office of Emergency Preparedness
OER	Office of Emergency Response
OES	Office of Emergency Services
OJP	Office of Justice Programs

OPHP	Office of Public Health Preparedness
OSC	On Scene Commander
OTPER	Office of Terrorism Preparedness and Emergency Response
PAPR	Powered Air Purifying Respirator
PEP	Prepositioned Equipment Program
PH	Public Health
PHF	Public Health Foundation
PHIN	Public Health Information Network
PHS	Public Health Service
PIO	Public Information Officer
POC	Point of Contact
PPA	Planning Priority Areas
PPE	Personal Protective Equipment
PSA	Public Service Announcement
PSC	Public Sector Consultants
PTE	Potential Terrorist Event
RACES	Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Services
RFP	Request for Proposals
RODS	Real-time Outbreak Disease Surveillance
RRF	Resource Request Form
RRSS	Regional Reception, Storage and Staging
RRT	Regional Response Team
RRTN	Regional Response Team Network
SAC	Special Agent in Charge
SARA	Superfund Amendments and Reauthorization Acts
SARS	Severe Acute Respiratory Syndrome
SBCCOM	Soldiers Biological and Chemical Command
SCBA	Self Contained Breathing Apparatus
SCC	Secretary's Command Center
SEL	Standardized Equipment List
SEOC	State Emergency Operations Center
SHOC	State Health Operations Center
SIOC	Strategic Information Center
SITREP	Situation Report
SMAC	Statewide Mutual Aid Compact (see MEMAC)
SNS	Strategic National Stockpile
SOP	Standard Operating Procedures
SSI	Safety Services, Inc.
SWAT	Special Weapons and Tactics
TARU	Technical Advisory Response Unit
TEA	Threat Environment Assessment
TTX	Table Top Exercise
UASI	Urban Area Security Initiative
UC	Unified Command
UM	University of Michigan
USAMRIID	United States Army Medical Research Institute of Infectious Disease
USR	Urban Search and Rescue
VA	Veteran's Affairs – or – Virtual Alert
VMI	Vendor Managed Inventory
WG	Work Group

WHO
WMD
WNV

World Health Organization
Weapons of Mass Destruction
West Nile Virus